

When Adam Picked His First Fig Leaf

When Adam picked and put on his first fig leaf the Men's Clothing Business was born. The first Ready-made Garment was a fig leaf. Probably Adam wasn't satisfied with the first leaf and thought he'd try another. By and by he found one that suited him, cut, material, fit and quality.

Adam Was Shrewd, He Looked Around.

Now, Sir, if you are not fully satisfied with the clothing you are wearing, suppose you look around.

Suppose You Look Here.

Our patrons are always satisfied—we make them so by giving them the best clothing to be had on earth for the money.

OUR TEN DOLLAR SUITS.

Our new Spring Suits have a large sprinkling of the ever popular \$10.00 suits in handsome colors—Tweed, Serge, Worsted and Oxfords. It will pay you to look at them even if you don't want to buy. We've over forty thousand dollars worth of new Spring Clothing in. If you haven't bought clothing at this store follow Adam's example and look around—come here—that's what we're driving at—if you come once, you'll come again.

PROWSE BROS.,

The Only Stylish Clothiers.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Mr. A. A. Ames, former Mayor of Minneapolis, Minn., was sentenced on Monday to serve six years in prison, for accepting bribes during his term of office.

Word comes from Paris that the French Government are about to abandon the French share in Newfoundland to Great Britain in exchange for concessions in Gambia and Western Africa.

Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, who has been absent in Japan, arrived at Victoria, B. C., on his return home, on Wednesday last. Better for him to have been attending to his Parliamentary duties during the session.

A STRIKE of longshoremen began at St. John's, Newfoundland, on Friday, and has continued up to last report. The Allen Line Steamer, Siberian, was forced to leave for Liverpool without having loaded a large cargo which was ready for her. It is believed that the police and men from the British cruiser, Calveo, are able to cope with any trouble that may arise.

The Exchequer Court opened in this city yesterday, Justice Barbridge presiding. A number of cases in which the Crown is plaintiff and different persons defendants, relative to expropriation of land in connection with the Belfast and Murray Harbor Railway, are up for hearing. Hon. H. G. Carroll, Solicitor General for Canada is in attendance watching the cases on behalf of the Federal Government.

As will be seen by reference to professional card in this issue Messrs. Eneas A. McDonald and P. J. Trainor have entered into a law partnership. Mr. McDonald has for several years carried on a successful and constantly increasing law business. He is well and favorably known and has many friends in different parts of the Province. Mr. Trainor studied in the office of Mr. W. S. Stewart and has just been admitted to the bar after passing an excellent examination. He is possessed of rare oratorical powers and has, we feel sure, a prosperous future before him in his chosen profession. We wish the law firm of McDonald & Trainor every success.

ORDINATIONS were administered in the Chapel of the Grand Seminary, Quebec, on Sunday last, by his Grace, Archbishop Babin of Quebec. Among those elevated to the holy priesthood on the occasion was Rev. Gregory J. McLellan, D. D., of St. George's, in this diocese. Rev. Dr. McLellan's career as a divinity student has been most successful, having led his class ever since he entered the seminary four years ago, and at the recent examinations won his doctor's degree with great distinction. In 1899 he graduated a most successful B. A. from St. Donatus's College. Father McLellan is a son of the late Donald McLellan of St. George's. We extend to him a most hearty welcome among our diocesan clergy. Ad multos annos.

SIX or seven lobster fishing boats connected with the factories at St. Peter's and Governor's Islands off Charlottetown harbor, were caught in the heavy squall of Friday afternoon, and had a hard time of it. Indeed it was feared Friday night that some of them had been lost, as they did not reach their factories. They were all quite close to the Islands when the squall struck them; but were driven away by storm and had all they could do to make land somewhere. Some of them came to anchor near Point Prim, and others on different points of the Island shore. One was driven to the Nova Scotia shore, near Wallace. Fortunately no serious damage was done to any of the boats and no lives were lost. All got back to their quarters Monday morning.

Miss Murray's singing and interesting history of Scottish songs in the Opera House on Friday evening constituted an intellectual treat of rare enjoyment. Not only did she exhibit rare musical and dramatic power, but she most admirably interpreted the various expressions of pathos and humor of the songs she sang. Her entertainments were not only a concert; but a lecture on Scottish music. She gave a most interesting history of the development of Scottish songs. The circumstances and the influences under which these songs were composed and the feelings which inspired them were charmingly told. The opening number was "The Auld Scotch Song," and she closed with "Callie Harris," sung in costume. A most interesting feature of the entertainment was the singing of several Gaelic songs, accompanied by herself on a Celtic harp. Play of tone and sympathetic interpretation characterized her singing throughout. Her manner on the stage is unaffected and admirable in every respect. Mr. Wark was accompanist on the piano. The Fourth Regiment Band rendered good service in the rendition of several beautiful and appropriate selections of Scottish music. Councilor Paton deserves great praise for his good offices in placing such an excellent entertainment within the reach of a Charlottetown audience.

In the squall of Friday afternoon last Joseph Christian of Launoching and Oliver Williams of Little River, laborers employed for Mr. George McDonald's factory, Annandale, were drowned in Grand River, near Annandale wharf, about a half mile from land. They were returning from overhauling their traps in a sloop-rigged boat, about 28 feet keel. It had been blowing pretty hard all day and while they were heaving in the boat took in considerable water. Suddenly a squall from the north-east struck the boat, and nothing could be done, she overturned and sank, going down broadside; but righting when she struck the bottom. Both men jumped clear of the boat when she went over; but they seem to have sunk to the bottom almost immediately. The accident occurred between two and three o'clock and was seen by some fishermen from the shore, who immediately launched their boat and proceeded to the scene of the accident. They found the boat with the top of the mast and a few feet of the side over water but could see nothing of the bodies of the men. About 4.30, the same afternoon, a grappling party went to the wreck and the bodies were found about 30 feet from the boat and about 10 feet apart. Word was sent to the coroner, Dr. McLean of Souris; but after hearing the facts deemed an inquest unnecessary. Both men were about 30 years of age, able and experienced boatmen, both were unmarried, Christian was a son of Mr. David Christian, and Williams a son of Mr. John Williams, now in California. The families and friends of the unfortunate men have the sympathy of the community in this sad and sudden calamity.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Read D. A. Bruce's advertisement in this issue.

The Shamrock III is expected to sail for America on the 30th inst.

BRANCH 333 C. M. B. A., Vernon River Island, holding a tea party on Wednesday, July 8th.

The Commonwealth, the World's largest battle-ship, 16,360 tons was launched on the Clyde on the 15th.

The Steamer, "Princess May," from Skagway arrived at Victoria, B. C., on the 14th. She reported the Yukon open to lake Lebarge and navigation about to commence.

The Ontario Government are about to take steps to erect a monument to Sir Oliver Mowat. A parliamentary vote for this purpose will be asked for at the present session of the Legislature.

INSTRUCTIONS have been sent from Ottawa to the Attorney-General, of Nova Scotia, to prosecute Engineer Copeland, who is alleged to have been responsible for the late wreck on the Intercolonial railway at Windsor Junction.

The schr. Bravo arrived at Boston on Sunday, from Barbados. She had on board a party of 10 men and crew, of the schooner, "Harbor Rico," from Porto Rico to Halifax, which was abandoned May 3rd, dismasted and leaking.

DURING the summer months semi weekly trips will be made between Souris and the Magdalen Islands. The steamer "Lunenburg" will leave Souris on Mondays, and the "Amelia" on Thursdays, after the arrival of the 4 p. m. train from Charlottetown. Both these steamers will carry mails and passengers.

FIRE broke out Saturday night from an unknown cause in a lumber pile at the rear of Gordon and Keith's furniture factory on Durdon Street, Halifax. In a few minutes the whole building was enveloped in flames, and within an hour after the alarm was sounded the great brick structure was in ashes—total loss \$30,000; insurance \$5,500.

LAST Thursday the plug which was put into the hole connecting the reservoir of the Dominion No. 1 mine, Sydney, to keep the water flooding the latter from entering the reserve workings burst, and a stream of water rushed with tremendous force, causing all the men who were working in that part of the mine to decamp and run panic-stricken for the surface.

The Canadian team for Buley will sail on May 20th, by the Tainian. The team has been completed, with the exception of two men who are yet to be heard from. The list has reached the 44th man this year, further down than it ever went before. Captain J. M. Jones, 22nd Regt., P. E. Island, is one of the team.

WALLACE NESBITT, K. C., a distinguished lawyer of Toronto, has been appointed Judge of the Supreme Court of Canada in place of Judge Mills, deceased. Judge Nesbitt is regarded as a very able jurist who will undoubtedly bring strength to the highest court in the land. He has not been a very active politician, but is said to have been a Conservative for the greater part of his active life.

RATHER a remarkable coincidence occurred at the residence of Mrs. McPhee, Compton Avenue, Halifax, on the night of the 12th inst., when two aged sisters, and with widows, died in the same room, and within a few minutes of each other. The deceased's names were Mrs. Margaret Kane, aged 88 years, and Mrs. Mary E. Burke, aged 75 years.

A DROWNING accident occurred at Mabou, Sunday. While John McDonald, of Little River, was proceeding down the harbor in a sail boat the latter was struck by a heavy squall and capsized. The boat sank immediately and before assistance could be rendered, McDonald, who was alone in the boat disappeared. The deceased was about 60 years old. He leaves a widow and family.

Messrs. William Thompson & Co., St. John, have received word from Liverpool that the mutineers of their ship Veronicas, who as our readers will remember, were on trial for murder, have been found guilty and sentenced to death. The prisoners number four. The murders, committed from our midst James A. McDonald South Port, brother of our esteemed President Alexander McDonald.

C. M. B. A.

Resolution of Sympathy.

(And inadvertently delayed) At the regular meeting of Branch 333, C. M. B. A., Fort Augustus, on March 4th, the following resolution was proposed by Brother W. C. Duffy and seconded by Brother P. J. Lynch and unanimously carried.

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in his infinite wisdom to remove from our midst James A. McDonald South Port, brother of our esteemed President Alexander McDonald.

Therefore resolved that we the members of Branch No. 333 do tender, our esteemed President our heartfelt sympathy.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.

At the regular meeting of Branch 333, C. M. B. A., Fort Augustus, the following resolution was carried unanimously. Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death Patrick Lynch, Esq., of St. Teresa's, father of our esteemed brother Mr. Joseph Lynch. Resolved that we the members of Branch 333 hereby express our sincere sympathy and condolence to our bereaved brother and all the members of his family in their affliction.

Further resolved that copies of this resolution be sent to the local papers and Canadian, and spread on the minutes of this meeting.

We recognize the fact that taste is a most variable factor, especially in dress, and have kept this fact constantly before us, in providing a stock of Dress Goods that should have no taste unconsidered. Buyers want to find the thing that pleases them, and as it is our pleasure to please the buyer, we have selected our Dress Goods so that each buyer might find the very thing wanted. An examination of our stock will show the newest patterns and fabrics in rich variety, with prices ranging with the grades upwards, but always as low in each grade as can be made consistently with our practice of selling only good goods. Specification of the various goods in this department is impossible in this brief notice, but we cordially invite all to come and see the goods for themselves.—Stanley Bros.

Comfortable CLOTHES

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Comfortable COST!

That's the story of our

Homemade READY-MADE Clothes.

During the dull winter months we made an unusually large amount of Suits, Trousers and Overcoats at less cost than if we ordered them from a manufacturer. We sell direct from maker to wearer. Any one who bought our make of clothing knows they fit better and are better made than factory made. Why then send your money out of the country? Try one of our all-wool Worsted Suits at \$10.00.

D. A. BRUCE.

May 20, 1903.



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We Are Showing AND the low prices we are selling at ought to bring you straight to our store to-day. We can do better for you than any other store in the city. Try TAYLOR'S BOOKSTORE. For Wall Paper.

GREAT DISSOLUTION SALE.

As our term of partnership expires on July 12th, 1903 (after which there will be a change in the personell of the firm), we must convert our entire stock into cash before that date.

From 9 a. m. Friday, May 1st, until July 12th, 1903, the people of P. E. Island will see the greatest

Carnival of Bargains

Ever witnessed in this Province. This is no housecleaning sale of shop worn goods, but a genuine discount sale of one of the cleanest and best selected stocks of

DRY GOODS & CLOTHING

On the Island. Here you'll find all the latest styles for both Ladies' and Gentlemen at unheard of prices. Terms cash, books closed. Here are some of the bargains waiting for you

- 33 1-3 p. c. Discount.
- Baskets
- Bachelors
- Belts
- Braids
- Blankets
- Cotton, fleecy
- Curtains, chanille
- Corset clasps
- Widow caps
- Costumes
- Cloth Mantle
- Eiderdown
- Men's Cardigans
- Ladies' Cardigans
- Grape
- Clothing, Men's
- Cloak's, Children's
- Combs
- Combs, fancy
- Dress Goods
- Dress Trimmings
- Dresses, Children's
- Flannel
- Feathers
- Flowers
- Frillings
- Fans
- Men's Gloves
- Furs
- Goflers
- Hats, Ladies'
- Hoods
- Handkerchiefs
- Jackets
- Capas
- Laces and braids
- Mufflers, Men's
- Night Dresses
- Overalls
- Ponpons
- Quilts
- Rubber Coats
- Rubber Cloaks
- Travelling Rugs
- Skirting
- Shields, Dress
- Steels
- Sweaters
- Stockingette
- Shawls
- Swansdown
- Table Covers
- Tray Squares
- Underwear, Men's
- Underwear, Ladies'
- Wrappers
- Wool and Yarns
- 25 p. c. Discount.
- Braces
- Blouses
- Blinds
- Bibs
- Cottonade
- Cretonnes
- Curtains, Lace
- Canvas, all kinds
- Corsets
- Caps, otams
- Collars
- Cloth, silence
- Counterpanes
- Chiffons
- Carriage Wraps
- Cushions
- Cushion Covers
- Elastic
- Embroidery
- Flannels, French
- Felts
- Fabric Gloves
- Hosiery
- Hose Supporters
- Hats, Men's
- Italian Cloth
- Lambricans
- Lawns
- Table Linens
- Linen Fancy
- Oilcloth, Table
- Napkin, Table
- Purses
- Rubber Sheetting
- Rugs, horse
- Silks
- Satins
- Silk, art
- Sateen
- Art Sateen
- Scrim
- Shirts
- Skirts
- Satchel
- Stamped Mats
- Trunks
- Valices
- Towels
- Towelings
- Ties, Men's
- Ties, Ladies'
- Undershirts
- Velvets
- Velveteens
- Veilings
- Whitewear
- Window Shades
- Window Poles
- Wrapperette
- 20 p. c. Discount.
- Cotton, grey
- Cotton, white
- Batting
- Cotton, prints
- Cheese Cloth
- Crochet Cotton
- Ducks
- Diaper
- Feather Bone
- Gloves, kid
- Ginghams
- Grass Cloth
- Hair Goods
- Hessian
- Linings
- Muslins, white
- Muslins, pointed
- Muslins, art
- Musquito Netting
- Patches, quilt
- Pillow Cotton
- Pique
- Sheetting
- Tickings
- Warp

Buttons, Brooches, Brushes, Boot Laces, Bodkins, Crochet Hooks, Hooks and Eyes, Hair Pins and Pins, Needles of all kinds, etc., etc., 33 1-3 p. c.

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Don't forget the "EUREKA GROCERY" when making your holiday purchases. Our stock is complete, our prices right, and the quality of our goods we always guarantee. Your wants in any of the following lines we can fill to your satisfaction both in quality and price.

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| Preserves. We have established a splendid trade in Homemade Preserves. And why not? We sell you a pure article for the price, others charge for imported compounds. We have a big stock on hand of Raspberry, Plum, Green Gage, Strawberry, Gooseberry and Black Currant, in 7 lb. pails, 4 and 6 lb. crocks; also by the lb. | Teas. You will want 5 or 10 lbs. of Tea for the winter. Let us fill this order for you. We have a big Tea trade, and can give you good values. 5 lb. Tea, 90c. 5 lb. Better, \$1.00 5 lb. Eureka, 1.15 5 lb. Hazard's Brabant also in stock. Also Union Blend and Red Rose Blend. |
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R. F. Maddigan & Co.
QUEEN STREET, CHARLOTTETOWN.

Important to Farmers of Prince Edward Island.

A few days ago Messrs. Carter & Co., Limited, Seedsmen, of Charlottetown, sent a sample of their "Export" brand of Mammoth Late Red Clover Seed, of which they received one car load (35,000 lbs.), to the Director of Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, to be analyzed. They have just received a report from J. Fletcher, Esq., Botanist, of the Department of Agriculture, as follows:

OTTAWA, May 6th, 1903.
Messrs. Carter & Co., Ltd., Charlottetown, P. E. I.

GENTLEMEN,—In reply to your favor of the 30th ult., addressed to the Director, I beg to inform you that I have looked up the sample of Clover Seed mentioned by you, and find that it is an excellent sample, and practically free of weed seeds. As a matter of fact there were a few seeds of unimportant weeds such as pidgeon grass, and these formed the proportion of about one in every 2,000 seeds of good clover.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) J. FLETCHER, Botanist.

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